

## IN THE SPECIFICATION

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The present invention relates to an apparatus ~~as defined in the preamble of claim 1~~ for blocking a medium flow passage in a spray head. The apparatus comprises a blocking element, such as a burst disk, arranged in the passage. When unbroken, the blocking element blocks the passage of medium flow from a first side of the blocking element to a second side of the blocking element. On the first side of the blocking element a first pressure prevails in the passage, while on the second side of the blocking element a second pressure prevails in the passage. The blocking element has been arranged to be ruptured so as to form a passage for the medium through the blocking element when the pressure difference between the first and the second sides of the blocking element reaches a preset value.

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Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 6, line 1 with:

~~The invention also relates to a spray head provided with an apparatus according to claim 1.~~ Ifn Fig. 1, the body 13 of the spray head is provided with a bore 3 which also functions as medium flow passage. From the bore a passage is further provided for at least one nozzle 12. Formed in the body are screw threads 16 in which a sleeve 14 provided with bores 2, 15 can be secured. The bores 15, 2 serve as a medium flow passage into the spray

head. Arranged in the bore 3 in the body is a shoulder 17, which again bears a blocking element 1, especially a burst disk or the like. The blocking element is preferably pressed in the bore between the sleeve and the shoulder, so that when unbroken, it blocks the passage from the bore 2 in the sleeve into the bore 3 in the spray head body. Arranged in the bore 3 in the body is a supporting element 4, which in a first position supports the blocking surface of the supporting element 4. In the case illustrated in the figure, the supporting element is locked in the first position to support the blocking element by means of a locking device 5, 6. The supporting element consists of a supporting part 6 formed in the body, said part supporting means 5 for releasing the supporting element 4 from the first position. In the embodiment illustrated in the figure, the means for locking and/or releasing the supporting element comprise a heat sensitive element 5. The heat sensitive element 5 may be e.g. an ampoule known in itself in firefighting and designed to be ruptured at a given temperature. Similarly, the heat sensitive element 5 may melt at a given temperature. Naturally, other types of devices for releasing the supporting element may be used, so it is conceivable that they could work e.g. on the basis of a signal issued by the control system of a fire extinguishing system.

Formed in the lower end 10 of the supporting element 4 is a bore 9 where the upper end 11 of the ampoule as seen in the figure has been arranged to fit in. The total length of the ampoule 5 and the supporting element 4 has been adjusted to be such that when the ampoule is in position, the supporting element is locked to support the blocking element 1 surface designed to be ruptured